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C O N F I D E N T I A L MOGADISCIO 0933

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MARR, US, SO

SUBJECT: SOVIET BASE ISSUE: SENATE VISIT TO BERBERA

REF: STATE 155608

1. NOW PRESENT IN MOGADISCIO ARE US CORRESPONDENTS HENRY TANNER OF NY TIMES; DUSKO DODER OF WASHINGTON POST; AND KEVIN MULLIN OF US NEWS AND WORLD REPORT. THEY ARRIVED JUNE 29. WE UNDERSTAND LEE GRIGGS, TIME NAIROBI CORRESPONDENT, WILL ARRIVE JULY 3.

2. ON JUNE 30 SOMALI GOVT REFUSED TO TRANSPORT TANNER, DODER AND MULLEN TO BERBERA FOLLOWING JUNE 28 DEBACLE (MOGADISCIO 922), PLEADING SHORTAGE OF AIRCRAFT. INSTEAD, THEY HAVE TOLD ALL THREE CORRESPONDENTS THAT THEY WILL BE TAKEN TO BERBERA JULY 4 WITH US SENATE DELEGATION.

3. THIS IS STILL SOMALI INTENTION. TANNER, DODER AND MULLEN ARE AGREEABLE AND LOOKING FORWARD TO JULY 4 TOUR OF BERBERA. HAMRICK

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